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**PATENT**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor application of: **Kenneth N. Harel**

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Group No.: 3637

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Examiner: Phi Dieu Tran A.

For: **DRYWALL BEAD WITH KNURLED PAPER FLAPS AND  
METHOD OF MAKING SAME**

**Mail Stop Amendment  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

**STATUS**

2. Applicant is a small entity.

**EXTENSION OF TERM**

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**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10\***

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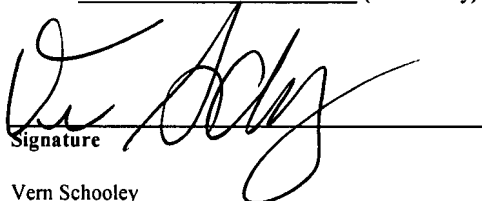
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3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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No additional fee for claims is required.

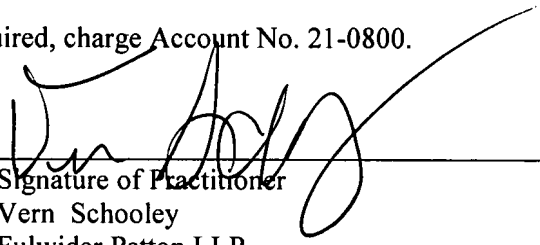
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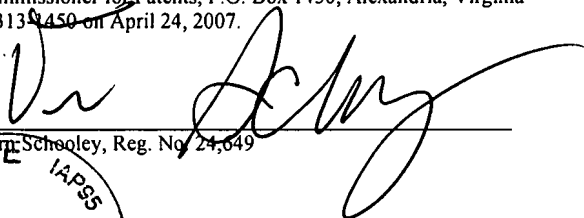
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action of January 25, 2007, the response for which is due April 25, 2007.

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